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In re application of:

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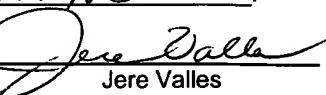
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 18, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1, 6, 7, 12 and 28-36. Our check in the amount of \$250.00 (small entity) is enclosed for the Notice of Appeal filing fee.

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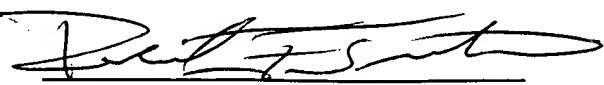
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